

MASSILLON DAILY INDEPENDENT.

FOURTH YEAR.

MASSILLON, O., MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1891.

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HUMBERGER'S

DRY GOODS. WARWICK BLOCK

Great Clearing up Sale

—of—

Ladies and Children's

—FINE—

Woolen Hosiery Goods

worth 50, 75 and \$1.00 will be sold

SATURDAY FOR 25 CENTS A PAIR.

Hunt up the table in south aisle.

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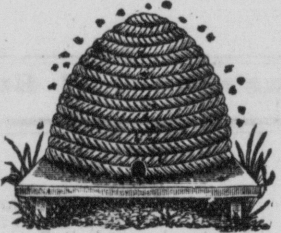
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Largest Stock in the City

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Just received, the second case of those fine Scotch Dress Gingham. Price same as before, viz. 10c. per yard, worth 15c.

60 Witton Axminster & Moquette Rugs, 27x54 inches at \$1.75 worth \$3.00. They are going rapidly.

100 Body Brussels Rugs 1 1/2 yards long at 75c. each. Worth \$1.50.

Respectfully,

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Before you buy your

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Both Plans.

Weekly \$3.00. Transients, 50c up.

Restaurant by Compagnon, late Chl. Club Chef.

Popular Prices. New House.

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Formerly with Tun Kee in the Minch block and No. 1 East Tremont street.

has started a first-class

New Laundry at No. 45 East Main Street

Where he will be prepared to show to the public the finest work in his line. He has the latest improved machinery.

New Shirts, 10c. 2 for 25c. Shirts, 10c. Collars, 2c. Ladies Collars, 2 for 5c. Cuffs, 4c.

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All work accurately and promptly attended to. P. O. Box, 47.

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"Where are you going my pretty maid?"
"I'm going to Whitman's, kind sir, to trade"
"Why do you go there, my pretty maid?"
"His stock is the very largest in the city, sir," she said
"But how are his prices, my pretty maid?"
"They're lower than any one else has made?"
"Can I go with you my pretty maid?"
"Pleased with your company sir," she said,
"So then these two the lad and maid,
Went hurrying off to trade:
And when the lad went home he said,
I've found the very best bargain maid."
You can do the same by trading at

C. M. WHITMAN'S,

ORIGINAL ONE PRICE CLOTHING, HAT AND FURNISHING GOODS
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MASSILLON, O.



50 NEW STYLE CARRIAGES

Finest Selection Ever Shown in the City at

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Undertaking Rooms
42 and 44 S. Erie St.

Select Your Spring Suit

FROM A STOCK OF

NEW WOOLENS

And you will be sure to get the proper thing. I am showing a very nice line of fancy silk vestings. Prices the lowest.

LOWE, The Tailor,

Over 27 & 29 South Erie Opera Block.

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Have opened a magnificent line of

BOOTS & SHOES,

No. 15 East Main St.

STOCK ALL NEW. PRICES REASONABLE

Your Patronage Solicited.

Everybody is invited to visit the new store, and examine the handsome line of goods.

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Best Goods and Lowest Prices

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The Enterprise

14 lbs. G. Sugar.....\$1 00

15 lbs A Sugar.....1 00

16 lbs Light Brown Sugar.... 1 00

Arbuckle's Coffee.....

Dannamiller coffee.....

Lion coffee.....

All Leading Brands Coffee.

5 cans best Peaches.....\$1 00

5 cans best Apricots..... 1 00

12 cans Tomatoes..... 1 00

Good Broom..... 10

Golden drip Syrup per gal.... 35

Good Tea Per Pound 25

All other goods proportionally low.

Wm A. PIETZCKER.

Proprietor,

No. 1, West Main Street

Massillon, Ohio.

Easy Terms, Long Time, Low Interest

CALL AND SEE ME.

JAS. R. DUNN,

LAST EDITION.

SALMAGUNDI.

TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER.—For Ohio—Monday, rain; cooler Tuesday.

Misses Lulu and Anna Ketterer are in Akron.

Miss Maggie Woodford left to-day for a brief visit in Akron.

Mrs. Noah Madison is quite ill at her West Main street residence.

Mr. Will G. Hipp, of Pittsburg, is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. J. W. Barnaby, of Canton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. S. Arnold.

Massillon Commandery K. T. will hold a special convocation on Thursday evening.

The annual report of the board of education will be found to-day, on the last page.

Miss Maggie Rogers returned home yesterday after a two months' visit in Pittsburg.

There will be services at Grace chapel Tuesday and Friday evenings of this, Holy Week.

Joseph Rost and Jacob Smith have purchased the Hyman grocery in the fourth ward.

Justice Paul, Ed. Clementz, and Misses Kate and Mame Keller spent Sunday in Canton.

Mrs. Joseph Giles, of Youngstown, is visiting at the residence of Joseph Snyder, in West Main street.

Corey Schuler, of Cleveland, employed in the Nickel Plate offices, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gribble.

Miss Adelaide Pew, who has been Miss Webb's guest for several weeks, returned to Warren this afternoon.

Mr. Albert Miller, and Miss Emma Rearick, accompanied by Mr. George Kniesly, spent Sunday in Canal Dover.

Mrs. Henry Harris, who has been the guest of Mrs. James H. McLain returned to-day to her home, at Bellefonte, Pa.

Mr. George Goodhart left for Cleveland, on business, this afternoon, accompanied by his little niece, Miss Florence.

Mr. A. J. Whisler and wife and Mr. J. Roush and wife, of Canton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stutz, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sprague have become residents of the city. Mr. Sprague will travel in the interest of the Massillon Bridge Company.

Miss Laura Pipous and Miss Flora Hose, of Cleveland, returned home to-day, after a short visit with Massillon relatives and friends.

Mrs. Mary Herrick, well known to all the older people, is very ill at the residence of her sister, Mrs. John Wertzbauger, having recently had a stroke of paralysis.

The grip continues to exert its baneful influence upon the backs, heads and noses of nearly everybody. Dr. T. J. Reed and John Jacobs are among the late victims.

Frank W. Harding removed his family and household effects to-day to Cleveland, where he will have charge of the machinery in the Cleveland Rubber Company's works.

Unfavorable weather has interrupted somewhat with work on the Prospect street club house. Rapid progress will be made from now on, and it is hoped that the opening can take place early in May.

The executive committee of the board of trade is in active communication with still another manufacturing company, now seeking a location. This concern now employs 100 hands, and requires better shipping facilities.

The concert to be given at the new Christian church next Thursday evening promises to be a musical treat. The program will be published to-morrow. Tickets are being sold rapidly and those who have not purchased them can secure them from the Rev. C. C. Smith or from members of the church.

Andrew Bamberger, sr., the veteran drayman, to-day sold out his entire equipment to Chas. Vogt and will retire from active work. His retirement was rendered necessary by the infirmities of age and hard work, the old man being 70 years old. He has been an active drayman for twenty-eight consecutive years, during all of which time he did all the hauling for Atwater's warehouse in connection with his general hauling.

An important "Y" meeting will be held this evening. Miss Jessie Morgan, state superintendent of "Y" work, will be present. Let every "Y" and honorary be there. Miss Morgan, who is the state superintendent of "Y" work and also one of the national superintendents, of which there are three, arrived this morning and will remain until after the "Y" conference, which will be held in the Methodist church April 1 and 2.

A unique entertainment, for the benefit of the Humane Society, and decidedly different from anything ever given in this part of Ohio before, will be presented on the evenings of April 17 and 18, under the direction of Miss Charlotte Allen, of Boston. It will consist of dramatic art tableaux, in which 100 characters will take part. The costumes will be extremely elegant. Further particulars will be furnished later.

Mr. W. K. L. Warwick was spoken to this morning in reference to the alleged highly sensational telegraphic correspondence said to have passed between

ex-President Cleveland and Congressman Warwick prior to the election last November, and in which Mr. Cleveland is charged with having declined to come into the Sixteenth district unless Mr. Warwick would guarantee that he would carry the district by at least 2,000 majority over McKinley. The congressman's son laughed at the story as published; said he knew everything that went on as far as his father's campaign was concerned, and was positive that nothing of the kind ever occurred.

THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY.

A Hot Fight for Commissioner—The Invincible Limbach Retired.

As was remarked in Saturday's issue, the struggle at the Democratic primary was a spirited one; in fact, there was probably never so exciting a contest among the local untried as was then witnessed. The main fight was for street commissioner, although the strife was greatly animated for city treasurer and township trustee, each candidate for the three offices being at work in person and having his efforts ably seconded by from one to a dozen workers. For street commissioner, Louis Limbach, present incumbent, was the favorite, being the choice against the field; but the party probably thought he had been amply rewarded for party fealty by ten years' service in a lucrative office, and that it was high time some new blood was infused into the active wing of the party by injecting it into the sinecures.

The total number of votes cast in the four wards was 916, and in the city and Massillon precinct 984. At the Democratic primaries a year ago 834 votes were cast in the city and 939 in the city and Massillon precinct.

Appended is the complete ticket nominated, the vote received by each candidate being given for offices for which there was a contest.

CITY TICKET.

Solicitor—Lucullus Victor Teeple.

Marshal—Thomas Hagan.

Street commissioner—Theodore Kramer, 174; John J. Geis, 177; William H. Vogt, 236; Thomas Volkmar, 85; Geo. W. Evert, 13; Louis Limbach, 192; Martin Limbach, 18.

Treasurer—Lewis List, 284; Paul Kirchhofer, 580.

Council—First ward, Edward C. Segner; second ward, Wilson Graber; third ward, Josiah Clutz; fourth ward, Perry H. Young.

Assessors—First ward, H. B. Sibille; second ward, Michael Bar; third ward, Edward Fetzer; fourth ward, August Donant, 96; F. C. J. Emmerick, 20; Patrick Bruder, 88.

TOWNSHIP TICKET.

Trustee—George Schaffert, 256; Jacob Mauer, 107; Julius Wittman, 524.

Treasurer—No nomination.

Assessor—Massillon precinct, Anthony Richard.

Constables—(Two to be nominated)—Frank Shepley, John Shearer.

The following is the vote by wards and precincts, in cases of contests:

STREET COMMISSIONER.

	1.	2.	3.	4.
Kramer	46	34	55	39
Geis	177	30	35	52
Vogt	236	40	80	51
Volkmar	19	16	20	10
Evert	13	3	3	2
L. Limbach	192	67	82	15
M. Limbach	18	4	11	2

TREASURER.

	1.	2.	3.	4.
List	284	72	90	64
Kirchhofer	580	85	140	120

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

	1.	2.	3.	4.
Schaffert	256	50	95	46
Mauer	107	2	20	27
Wittman	524	101	114	155

No official return from Richville precinct has yet been made. In any event it cannot affect general results.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

Snatches of News from City and the Court House.

Thieves looted a number of business houses last night. R. Bohlen, tailor, had \$300 worth of goods taken, and several other places suffered smaller losses. Entrance in all cases was effected by prying doors and windows. No clue.

Rinaldo Stein, the Carrollton man injured by the C. & C. railway, in this city several days ago, while intoxicated, died last night after excruciating pain.

The result of Saturday's primaries was the selection of ex-Auditor John N. Ramsey as the Republican candidate for mayor, Thomas F. Turner for solicitor, and an entire city ticket of unusual strength. The Democrats re-nominated Mayor Blake after a hard fight, with P. J. Collins for solicitor. There are indications of a split over the re-nomination of Mr. Blake among those who are opposed to the third term idea. Mr. Collins nomination for solicitor was a surprise. He will need all he can get together to beat Turner, who made such a good run against Pomeroy two years ago. Mr. Ramsey will make a strong opponent for Mr. Blake and with the present temper of the citizens he ought to win.

Getting Right of Way.

Mr. P. L. Maaly, so the Canton Repository says, representing the new company who propose to connect Canton and Massillon, is visiting property owners along the proposed route and securing the right of way. The route now under consideration is to go south on Cleveland avenue to Plum street to South, out South street to the new hospital and then north to the Massillon road. The residents visited have manifested great interest in the project and seem very willing to yield the right of way in front of their property.

Another New Church.

St. Joseph's church, Dr. Stafford, pastor, purchased this afternoon, by Attorney O. E. Young, the Metzler property, corner of South and East streets, consideration, \$3,900. The lot is 147 feet on East street and 96 1/2 feet on South. A handsome church and residence are to be erected on this lot, early this summer. While plans have not been matured, it is altogether certain that a modern structure will be raised, the cost of which will approximate \$35,000.

Easter novelties. Spangler & Co.

MACQUEARYISM'S END.

HE LEAVES HIS PARISH IN A DISORGANIZED STATE.

The Rev. E. L. Kemp Takes the Helm Again, and the Bishop will Preach on Good Friday—Church Finances in Disorder and the Parish in Debt.

CANTON, March 23.—A new order of things was observed yesterday at St. Paul's Episcopal church. The Rev. Edward L. Kemp, of Massillon, through whose efforts before the engagement of the Rev. Howard MacQuary, the parish was infused with life, which it never possessed before, assumed the reins of command, and preached a cheery, helpful sermon in the afternoon, to a congregation quite large, considering that the service had not been announced in advance.

After service Mr. Kemp made very brief reference to the troubles in which the parish had become involved. He advised dropping discussion of all the painful events of the past, and urged a rebuilding as though the unnatural excitement had never been.

Interviews with officers of the church indicate that it has suffered severely under Mr. MacQuary's charge. The late rector, devoid of responsibility, and without business perceptions, permitted the temporal welfare of the parish to become impaired. There has been no election of vestrymen for two years. A part of Mr. MacQuary's salary is still owing him, and a mortgage exists on the church lot adjoining the church, on which no interest has been paid for two years. In the up building of the church the first thing will be to hold an election on Easter Monday. Then Mr. MacQuary will be paid in full, and next the accrued interest will be disposed of. Bishop Leonard will officiate on Good Friday, and within a few weeks the Canton Episcopalians hope to have uprooted the last vestige of MacQuaryism, and to engrain in its stead a new interest in the historic church.

WAS THE RAILROAD IN FAULT?

Coroner Openheimer Continues His Investigation.

Coroner Openheimer concluded, this afternoon, the taking of testimony in the inquest to ascertain the responsibility for the accidental death of Postal Clerk Wm. T. McLean in the W. & L. E. wreck at Navarre by the examination of witnesses at the depot in this city. The following additional evidence was secured, David B. Day, a Canton attorney, appearing for the railroad company, and Attorney W. M. Roach, of Alliance, representing the parents of McLean.

L. Wildeson, assistant roadmaster W. & L. E.—Live at Orrville. Was on the train when the wreck occurred, in the last sea, of the rear coach. It was caused by a broken switch rod. Was the first man at the switch after the accident—not over three minutes after it occurred. Switch was two inches open and lower jaw of the rod broken off. Otherwise it was in good condition. The broken rod caused it to become disconnected. Can't say what caused it. Don't know the condition of the switch prior to that time. The bolt was lying outside the rod. The bolt was all right. Did not find the nut of the bolt. Threads of the bolt were not worn to amount to anything. Trains passing over switch might break the rod. The passing of the train over ought not to have thrown the bolt out. The foreman has the bolt, I suppose. McLean was unconscious for an hour afterward.

Cross-examined by Mr. Day—Yes; if a man stood on the rod it would tend to tighten the bolt instead of throwing it out. The fact that the bolt was withdrawn a nut had nothing to do with the accident. A kick on the bar could not throw the bolt out. Couldn't say what caused the break in the rod. Bar might have been broken just after the engine got over it—it looks that way. Nails are put in switch to prevent trains from rattling in passing over.

By Attorney Roach—Been assistant road master since Feb. 15. Have been off and on in the frost twice since 1886. The breaking of the switch rod caused the accident. I consider that the road was in good condition six car lengths north and south of the switch. The switch ties were put in the latter part of November.

Jacob Kline, section foreman—In regard to my testimony before the coroner on the 16th inst., I did not say that I ordered material from the company to repair the switch and they refused to give it to me. I did say that I used nails. Would have told the roadmaster if it hadn't been a safe switch. Never told Adly anything of the kind either. Did not tell the coroner that the company refused to furnish material for the switch.

By Mr. Day—Never ordered any material for that switch. It was in good condition. I examine them every day, sometimes twice. The testimony was not read to me at Navarre before I signed it. Came here to-day by order of officials of the road. Don't know Mr. Day; never saw him before. Talked with him since I came here. Don't know whether the bolt had a nut on it or not that morning; didn't examine the bolt.

Ulah S. Zerkle—Am now section foreman in the Norwalk yards. Was track supervisor last November. We took out the frog and switch last November from where it was and put it where it was at the time of the accident. Put in a new stand and new cutter bolts and new ties. Switch was in good condition and fit for use; wouldn't have used any part of it that wasn't good. Made no examination of it since. Don't know whether any company officials examined the switch since last November. Looked at switch Feb. 13 and found it in good condition.

D. McEntaffer—Am roadmaster. Furnished material for the switch Nov. 20th last, forty-two switch ties.

CINCINNATI, March 23.—To-day's papers say Democrats have agreed upon Gustave Tolei to be nominated as mayor to-morrow.

Stanley hats at Spangler & Co.'s.

In the Spring the Young Man's Fancy

Lightly turns to thoughts of Dress, and a most important part of it is the Hat, Ties, Gloves, &c., which lends a touch of Dash and Brilliancy to his attire. He wants the latest, most stylish and the best. We are in a position to meet his fancy and wishes. We have an immense assortment of stunning novelties, for the lowest popular prices. Look out for our line of Easter Ties.

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 Six Months......75
 Three Months......50

The Independent's Telephone No. 43

MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1891

This Date in History—March 23.

1607—Cromwell concluded treaty with France.
 1777—Destruction of stores at Peekskill, N. Y., by the British.
 1804—Assassination of Paul I of Russia; succeeded by Alexander I.
 1866—Treaty of Vienna between Great Britain, Austria, Russia and Prussia.
 1885—The Hornet captured the Penguin.
 1886—Lombardy invaded by Charles Albert, king of Sardinia.
 1894—Commercial treaty concluded between Japan and United States by Commodore Perry.
 1898—Confederates defeated at Winchester by Gen. Sheridan.
 1900—Bill for purchase of St. Thomas' island rejected by senate.
 1972—Slavery abolished in Porto Rico.
 1888—Died, Morrison R. Waite, chief justice of the United States supreme court; born 1816

For the first time in something like a year, the time card of the Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling railroad appears in the travellers' register to-day. As explained then, the stoppage of advertising in the newspapers was general, although some few publishers saw fit to continue the insertion of the schedule without compensation. The policy was adopted in fulfillment of a scheme of retrenchment, and was throughout a plain matter of business. Experience has demonstrated, at least so far as THE INDEPENDENT is concerned, that there is no real economy in such a policy, and on the contrary there is very material inconvenience caused. The circumstance is mentioned being of public interest, as well as private concern. Railroad advertising has many of the qualities of news, and THE INDEPENDENT therefore welcomes the C. L. & W. card in its heartiest fashion, fully believing that the experiment of the past will never be repeated.

THE NATIONAL GRANT.

At present the legislators at Columbus are contending over Ohio's portion of the late grant of money by the national government to the states, as a supplement to the act creating the agricultural colleges. Of the many excellent enactments of the last congress was the one appropriating a large sum of money for the benefit of agriculture and mechanic arts. Of this fund \$25,000 falls to Ohio. The act provides that this money shall go to colleges established under the land grant college act of 1862, or in case a state has established since then a college for the education of colored youth in agriculture and mechanic arts, the legislature in accepting the fund may propose an equitable division for its benefit, the claims of such institution to be decided by the secretary of the interior within the provisions of the act. The provision with reference to colored students' colleges was to meet the condition of the South where educational institutions separate on the color line. But in Ohio there is no state institution for exclusive education of either race. It is true that the state has aided the normal and industrial department of Wilberforce Academy, a sectarian institution where colored students are educated, but such an institution was not within the purview of the act of congress. Upon statements presented to the secretary of the interior by the president of the academy, he has so decided. The Ohio State University is the one institution of Ohio established under the act of 1862. It is the only one for which the legislature can accept the appropriation, and still the Ohio senate rises and amends the bill accepting the whole for the state university giving half the grant to Wilberforce. To divert any of this fund to an illegal purpose is to endanger the whole grant. To give a portion of it to Wilberforce is certainly venturesome at least, as the act empowers the secretary of the interior to withhold the money if an attempt be made to defeat the purpose of the act. THE INDEPENDENT is

glad to note that Senator Howells is right on this question. It is to be hoped the amendment can be defeated in the House and the money saved for what it was intended.

In this connection THE INDEPENDENT wishes to remark that it is high time the state of Ohio was doing something generous for its university. Ohio should have a university the equal of Michigan's Ann Arbor, or New York's Cornell. But every year the educational appropriation is sliced off to the university at Athens, to the Miami university at Oxford, where only a handful of students are in attendance, leaving the University of Ohio much short of what it actually needs, and now struggling Wilberforce is to be taken in tow of the state to injure more effectually the interests of the state's university. This university, located at Columbus, and showing as it does every sign of rapid and genuine growth, should not be made to suffer by reason of these minor institutions which have been dying for years, and have only been saved from death by the legislature's appropriations.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Marriage and Divorce and the Evils Following Therefrom.

MR. EDITOR:—While not in sympathy with, nor endorsing the narrow prejudice of the Rev. Dr. Stafford, in his fling at the "so-called churches," yet now days we have too much of this matter of "marrying in haste and repenting at leisure," for which, doubtless, the Protestant clergy are more or less responsible in the very prompt way they have of performing the marriage ceremony over all who may come or send to them, what hours of day or night—it seems to make no difference. We had a sample but a few years ago of a maiden of mature years marrying one of our townsmen, he on his death bed. This clergyman could apparently perform the ceremony without a twinge of conscience, but the words he pronounced, "Whom God hath joined together let no man put asunder," became the climax of a ceremony partaking of the nature of a hideous farce. Let the Protestant clergy pattern after the fashion of the Catholic clergy in respect to marriage. Go slower, and doubtless we shall hear less of divorce cases.

The writer of the above evidently has read the card written by the Rev. Mr. Meyer of Canton, part of which was published in THE INDEPENDENT of last week. In reply to Mr. Meyer's strictures, Mr. Stafford wrote to the Canton Repository:—In your issue of the 16th inst. a writer calls into question certain statements made by me. I would suggest that before giving himself any trouble he be sure that he understand facts and arguments as set forth. Life is too short for barren controversy. Very respectfully,
 D. J. STAFFORD.
 Massillon, O., March 20, '91.

The Johnstown Flood.

The Rev. Mr. Pershing will lecture in Music Hall, Tuesday evening, on "The Johnstown Flood." Some one has thus spoken of Mr. Pershing as an orator.

"As an orator Rev. Pershing is unsurpassed; abundant personal gifts have been cultivated until an excellence reaching apparently to perfection, has been attained. His is one of those magnetic natures that carries away—captures both imagination and reason—and aways an audience as the 'Queen of night' attracts and controls the boundless tides of the ocean, and then from a pitch of almost painful enthusiasm, he leads his enraptured listeners by easy, natural steps, down to the domain of pathos and sympathy, calls forth all the emotion of the heart, and finally supplements tears for laughter, and from thence he passes into anecdote and reminiscence, happily interwoven with wit and humor."

I had a severe attack of catarrh and became so deaf I could not hear common conversation. I suffered terribly from roaring in my head. I procured a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, and in three weeks could hear as well as I ever could, and now I can say to all who are afflicted with the worst of diseases, catarrh, take Ely's Cream Balm and be cured. It is worth \$1.00 to any man, woman or child suffering from catarrh. —A. E. Newman, Grayling, Mich.

Here it is, and it fills the bill much better than anything we could say: "It gives me the greatest pleasure to write you in regard to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. During the past winter I have sold more of it than any other kind, and have yet to find any one but what was benefited by taking it. I have never had any medicine in my store that gave such universal satisfaction." J. M. Rooney, druggist, Genda Springs, Kan. 50 cent bottles for sale by Morgenthaler & Heister.

Mrs. M. L. Myers wishes to thank the ladies of Massillon for their kind expressions during her reception on last Tuesday, and to say that she will be at the Hotel Conrad on next Tuesday, the 24th, from 1 to 5 p. m., where she will be glad to meet the ladies who desire to join a class in china or silk painting.

To reduce my stock, preparatory to making extensive improvements in my store rooms, I will offer my entire stock of groceries, queensware and lamps, at and below cost, for 30 days. Wm. A. Pietzcker, proprietor Enterprise grocery, No. 1 West Main street.

Catarrh is not a local but constitutional disease, and requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla to effect a cure.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors, and also the choir, for their kindness during recent bereavement.
 MRS. S. A. GLESSNER,
 MRS. M. E. GLESSNER,
 MRS. M. A. LEE.

JOHN H. FISHER'S DEATH.

One of Tuscarawas Township's Citizens Breathes His Last

John H. Fisher, of Tuscarawas township, died at 5 o'clock Sunday evening. The funeral will take place from the Lutheran church at West Brookfield, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, leaving the house at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Fisher was a member of the Stark county Pennsylvania society, having been born in Lebanon county, Jan. 27, 1826. His great uncle served in the war of the revolution. Mr. Fisher was a cabinet maker by trade—left his home at the age of 19 to learn it. He worked at Cincinnati, Louisville, and started in business in Lebanon, Pa., in 1855. In 1868 he decided to remove to Ohio, and bought the farm of eighty eight acres, west of this city, on which he thereafter lived, and where he died. He married in 1850, and has seven children. He had served on the township board of education and board of trustees. He was a Mason and in more ways than one built himself up in the esteem of all with whom he came in contact.

It is one of the inheritances of every newspaper office, which can point back to a career of several generations, to have created within itself its own traditions, and to have surrounded itself with old friends, who come to be regarded as a part of the office itself. Mr. Fisher's connection with THE INDEPENDENT was in the latter capacity. When in health it was his habit to visit this office weekly, and in this frequent contact, his rugged honesty, and natural intelligence were given their true value, and the friendship cemented was never marred, until death severed the connection forever. Mr. Fisher was an ardent Democrat—ardent in principle and temperate in application. As a partisan he was respected, and he was therefore respected. He was one of the founders of the local grange, and a firm believer that the agricultural class suffered from discrimination, which he, so far as his influence extended, labored to remove. He raised a large family, like himself, and kept the circle almost intact, there being today only one member not residing in this county. He had been a sufferer from chronic trouble for a long time, and death was not unexpected.

In the loss of John H. Fisher THE INDEPENDENT loses one of its kindly old fashioned friends, whose opinions it sought, and whose disinterestedness it appreciated. Stark county loses a conscientious citizen, the farmers a loyal fellow worker, and the Democratic party a sturdy private in the ranks.

THAT GAME OF SEVEN-UP.

Willy Bantz and Charley Crooks Settle with Adolph Pizzo.

It was a great game of seven-up that THE INDEPENDENT told about last Friday. It will be remembered that Charley Crooks put up this watch and Willy Bantz put up Adolph Pizzo's pony, claiming it as his own.

Crooks won, and took the pony. Pizzo discovered his fiery steed missing, and actually got mad about it. He was so highly incensed that the boys began to wish that they hadn't played their little game, and as visions of warrants and trials by jury loomed up before them they decided it was to appease Pizzo. Consequently a bargain was struck, and Crooks, holding the whip hand, so to speak, dictated the terms upon which he would restore the missing pony. In accordance therewith, on Saturday morning, there was deposited with a Main street firm, by Bantz the sum of five dollars, to be paid to Crooks upon the tying of the aforesaid pony to a certain named hitching post. At the hour agreed to the pony was made fast, Crooks appeared and collected his bill, and Pizzo dropped around and collected his pony. Pizzo is still inclined to be obstreperous, and threatens to institute action, even now.

The moral is, never stake another man's property in a game of cards.

Mr. Sailer's Determination.

For a long time past the Continental Oigar Factory has been virtually idle, changed business conditions making the manufacture of cigars here no longer profitable. This fact has led Mr. Sailer to determine upon a full and complete retirement from the business. Machinery and raw stock will be disposed of within a month or six weeks, and manufactured stock will be sold in lots, until exhausted. Mr. Sailer is so active in business affairs, that it need not be supposed that he will long be without other interests equal in importance to the one he has decided to abandon, in its palmy days.

Navigation Note.

During the week ending March 22, 15 canal boats, loaded with 1,200 tons of coal, passed through this port, up, for Cleveland and Akron; 2 boats loaded with cord wood, and one boat loaded with 80 tons of fire clay.

Boats Will Be Free.

At the Presbyterian congregational meeting, Sunday morning, on the ques-

tion of her to raise the annual revenue by renting the seats, or adopt the plan of each person, old and young, pledging a certain sum to be paid weekly, the seats then to be free, the latter mode was unanimously chosen.

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Note and Comment on Men and Doings at Russell Co.'s.

In noting the great strides that have been made in the improvements of machines manufactured by Russell & Co., as well as the methods of building them, it would make a book to even briefly recount the manner in which the perfect machine of to day has grown from the clumsy affair made back in the forties, when a single horse furnished the power to run the machinery operated by the eighteen or twenty men employed, and Mr. Andrew Cox and others who have drifted here and there, or succumbed to the ravages of time, were muscular young men. The changes that have been made from time to time are the results of constant effort and careful observation, involving much labor and expense, a description of which does not belong in this article, as there is no purpose to cut the lines of prosperity by discussing dry and uninteresting details, which belong to the business only. Suffice to say, that many skilled men are constantly employed to keep the standard of the machinery produced up with the times, as in this, as well as everything else, there is nothing accomplished without labor.

Could those who, with Mr. Cox, used to saw and hew and mortice the timber for the old "Knock Out," with its wooden cylinder driven full of iron spikes, return now to witness a contest of the qualities of machines of different make upon one of the large fields of grain on the Pacific coast and see an excited crowd, with picked judges, determining the merits of the different machines in the number of bushels of grain separated in an hour with the least waste, they would be more surprised than men would now be to see a successful air ship traveling the wide expanse of the Atlantic to the old world, for in these wonderful times the greatest schemes are less impossible to the average mind than were achievements of less consequence, and which now seem simple enough, forty or fifty years ago. Yet when the great number of sheaves that have to be torn apart by the cylinder to turn out 700 bushels of oats or 300 bushels of wheat in an hour are considered, it is nothing short of astonishing. Mr. John Ryder and other who in the course of their duties often follow these machines to the field, have had the satisfaction of coming out of these contests with the honors for the machine constructed under their direction. News from these trial exhibitions is always received by men here with pleasure, and some of them put on an air of ownership when the Massillon machine is pronounced the dandy of them all, which she really is to-day.

Ernest Bammerlin is again down with rheumatism. Thos. Kelley is no better. Geo. Hathaway had his patience tried with the grip for about a week. David Umbenhour is growing stronger. Fred Luckner is not much changed. Michael Rich is about recovered from a severe attack of erysipelas. Sherman Budd has been seriously ill with fever about three weeks.

Medium weight underwear 50 cents. Spangler & Co.

Ohio Beneficial meeting to-night. Members are requested to attend and receive their certificates. J. W. CARVER, President.

Easter ties. Spangler & Co.

Ask your dealer for "Enterprise Mill" white loaf flour. Take no other.

Men's crush hats 50 cents. Spangler & Co.

False Economy
 Is practiced by many people who buy inferior articles of food, because cheaper than standard goods. Surely infants are entitled to the best food obtainable. It is a fact that the Gail Borden "Eagle" Brand Condensed Milk is the best infant food. Your grocer keeps it.

What is the Use
 To pay \$1.00 when you can buy the Scotch Sarsaparilla for 50 cents per bottle, 50 doses Scotch Little Liver Pills, 25 cents. For sale by Morgenthaler & Heister.

A Blessing to Humanity.
 This is what N. H. Andrews, a prominent citizen of Springfield, O., says: "It affords me great pleasure to assure my friends that I have received both immediate and permanent relief of throat, bronchial and asthmatic trouble in the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It is certainly a good honest medicine and a blessing to humanity." The above preparation we sell on a positive guarantee; it has given better satisfaction than any other remedy we have ever sold. J. M. Schuckers, and E. S. Craig druggist, Massillon, O.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
 When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
 When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
 When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

The tickets of said election shall have written or printed thereon the words "Authority to issue bonds—yes." "Authority to issue bonds—no." By order of the city council of Massillon.
 H. W. LOEFFLER
 City Clerk.
 Dated March 10, 1890.

Children Cry for
Wheeler's Castoria.

Would you buy gold dollars at 50 cents apiece?
 Would you pass any kind of a snap if you knew it?
 Will you do so now?

We are going to build and must tear out the entire inside of our store. We are going to sell everything between the walls, principally

BOOTS and SHOES.

These we will sell and our prices will sell them. Come and see

H. H. PILLE

Remember Sippo Valley Flour

Retails at \$1.25 per 1/4 sack.

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CLOTHING,
HATS, CAPS

—AND—
Furnishing Goods

—AT A—
Reduction of 25 Per Cent

—AT—

DIELHENN'S CLOTHING STORE,
UNTIL APRIL 1

J. & H. DIEHLENN,
 11 E. Main and 6 S. Erie St., Massillon, O.

For Bargains in Carriages & Wagons See P. H. Young

CITY LIVERY!

P. CRIBBLE Proprietor.

First-Class in all its Appointments.

Commercial Trade Solicited. Prompt Delivery.

Telephone 77.

Don't Buy Until You See Young's Stock of Buggies

DO YOU EXPECT TO MOVE?

If So, Cut Out This Blank and Fill the Space.

will move from
 No. street,
 to No. street,
 on or about.....

NOTICE.
 OFFICE OF CITY CLERK.
 MASSILLON, OHIO, March 2, 1891

Notice is hereby given that D. F. Henry, William H. Graham and J. W. McElmonds, have on this 2nd day of March, 1891, made application to the Council of Massillon, Ohio, for permission to construct and operate a street railroad in the following streets, viz:
 Beginning at the corporation line on Main street, thence west to corporation line of same street. Beginning at the corporation line on Akron street, thence south to Cherry street, thence west on Cherry to Mill street, south on Mill street to Main street, thence from Main on Erie street to the south corporation line.
 The number of tracks on each street to be one except where double tracks are specified. Said grant to be for twenty-five (25) years.
 H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

CHAMBERLAIN'S REGISTER.
 Trains arrive and depart on Standard time, 33 minutes slower than city time.

CLEVELAND, LORAIN AND WHEELING.
 GOING SOUTH.

No. 1 Mail.....9:31 a. m.
 " 3 Express.....7:27 p. m.
 " 5 Accommodation.....6:15 a. m.
 " 19 Local Freight.....8:29 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

No. 2 Express.....5:58 a. m.
 " 4 Mail.....8:12 p. m.
 " 6 Accommodation.....8:27 p. m.
 " 24 Local Freight.....9:51 a. m.

WHEELING AND CINCINNATI.
 South.
 No. 4 Express.....No. 6 7:30 p. m.
 No. 4 12 p. m.No. 7 4 p. m.
 No. 5 7:50 p. m.Local 4:00 p. m.
 Local 7:10 a. m.

PITTSBURG, FT. WAYNE & CINCINNATI.
 In effect June 1st noon.

GO EAST.
 No. 8.....Daily.....2:50 a. m.
 No. 10.....Daily except Sunday.....7:45 a. m.
 No. 4.....Daily.....1:00 p. m.
 No. 20.....Daily.....9:35 p. m.

GOING WEST.

No. 1.....Daily except Sunday.....8:25 a. m.
 No. 11.....Daily except Sunday.....10:09 a. m.
 No. 9.....Daily.....11:01 a. m.
 No. 3.....Daily.....5:48 p. m.
 Local.....9:15 a. m.

Fullman dining cars are run on trains No. 1 and 9.

For time tables, rates of fare, baggage checks, through tickets, or any further information regarding the running of trains, apply to John A. Shoemaker, agent, Massillon, O.

CLEVELAND, AKRON & COLUMBUS.
 Mount Vernon and Pan Handle Route at Orrville.

GOING SOUTH.
 No. 35 Express.....10:10 p. m.
 No. 37 Express.....4:20 a. m.
 No. 3 Express.....3:10 p. m.

GOING NORTH.
 No. 2 Express.....10:35 a. m.
 No. 38 Express.....8:34 p. m.
 No. 2 Express.....10:22 p. m.

Trains 27 and 28 run daily all other trains daily except Sunday.

Trains 2 and 3 have through day coaches and 27 and 28 through Pullman sleepers between Cleveland and Cincinnati.

Trains 2 and 3 make connections with P. & W. & C. trains to and from all points east and west via Orrville.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound
 Composed of Cotton Root, Tansy and Pennyroyal—a recent discovery by an

monthly—Safe, Efficacious. Price \$1, by mail sealed. Ladies, ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound and take no substitute, or inclose 2 stamps for sealed particulars. Address FOND LILY COMPANY, No. 3 Fisher Block, 181 Woodward ave., Detroit, Mich.

Sold in Massillon by Z. T. Baltzly.

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The Quick and the Dead

Which class do you belong to? Are you one of those who are quick to recognize a good thing and who therefore buy your clothes of us, or are you "dead to the world" by buying elsewhere? This fact is plain! All our goods are new now! Not a single old dead style is here! All are "quick" sellers on sight, because the prices are right! Right for you! Your saving is just as sure as the sun's rising! For all our splendid new spring styles are lower in price than the same qualities elsewhere!

GOODHART'S MODEL ONE PRICE

Northwest Corner Main and Erie Streets, Massillon.

HOW MANY BOYS

Have you got? Say six! And you save six dollars by buying their suits of us. We have the finest and largest stock of new neat-fitting and strong wearing Boys' and Children's Clothing that ever any parent ever saw in Massillon. All the latest styles. Richly elegant or simply stout and serviceable. The boys are hard on clothes. I've insisted on the makers making them so they would stand the toughest usage, and at the same time present a stylish appearance. Remember we are one lowest price to all.

WEAR OVERALLS

Do you? Well here is your place to get them! We sell the most desirable, best made and finest shaped overalls in the city, and at the very lowest figures too.

NEW SPRING HATS

The new Dunlap and Youman shapes are in, and every gentleman should see them. They are the prettiest and best shaped hats we have ever shown. You must have one if you would be well dressed. Easter will soon be here. Don't be ashamed of yourself by wearing an old tile on that day.

FEDERAL LICENSE.

SECRETARY NETTLETON DEFINES THE LAW ON THE SUBJECT.

For the Benefit of Internal Revenue Collectors Throughout the Country—A Change Made in the Form of the United States Stamp Issued to Retail Liquor Dealers.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Secretary Nettleton, of the treasury department, makes public the following circular letter just sent to internal revenue collectors throughout the country: Letters are frequently received at the department stating that in many parts of the country retail liquor dealers claim to hold a permit or license from the United States for carrying on their business; that in many cases where local law prohibits public drinking places the law is openly violated by persons who claim to do business under at least the moral sanction of a "federal license," and that this fact, together with the belief common among many good citizens that the United States government does in fact issue such licenses, greatly retards the enforcement of wholesome restrictive laws and promotes disorder. It should be unnecessary to state that the United States government does not issue a license or permit of any nature to any person in any state to carry on the business of retail liquor dealer, and it is difficult to understand how any intelligent citizen can be imposed upon by the opposite claim. Congress having levied a revenue stamp tax of \$25 per annum on the business of retail liquor dealer, the commissioner of internal revenue endeavors to collect this tax wherever and by whomsoever the business is carried on, but no semblance of permission, express or implied, is given by the United States government in its revenue laws or otherwise to begin or continue such business in any place contrary to state or local legislation.

A New Form of Stamp. It was to make clear this purpose of carefully respecting state and local laws and police regulations prohibiting or restraining the liquor that congress enacted section 3243 of the revised statutes. In order that this purpose, as thus embodied in the law, may be authoritatively announced with regard to the form of the United States stamp issued to retail liquor dealers as evidence that they have paid such tax. The new form, which will go into use July 1 next, reads as follows:

United States stamp for special tax, internal revenue. Received from — the sum of — dollars for special tax on the business of retail liquor dealer, at — for the period represented by the coupon or coupons hereon attached.

And across the face of the stamp is inscribed the following statement embracing the substance of section 3243 of the revised statutes:

This stamp is simply a receipt for a tax due the government and does not exempt the holder from any penalty or punishment provided for by the law of any state for carrying on the said business within such state, and does not authorize the commencement nor the continuance of such business contrary to the laws of such state or in places prohibited by municipal law. See section 3243 revised statutes, United States.

It is believed that this action will leave no ground for further misapprehension.

TRIAL OF CHARLES KINCAID.

A Plea of Self-Defense to be Made—Brief Review of the Tragedy.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The trial of Charles E. Kincaid for the killing of ex-Congressman Taulbee, of Kentucky, opened this morning. The trial attracts widespread attention, as the witnesses come from such distant and widely separated parts of the country as Massachusetts, New York, Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana, Alabama and Louisiana. Mr. Taulbee was shot on Feb. 28, 1890, and died in the following month. The shooting grew out of a trouble which had existed between him and Kincaid for nearly two years and it was started by the publication by Kincaid, who was a resident newspaper correspondent, of an article about Taulbee of a sensational character. This story appeared one morning in the newspapers of Washington, and as it concerned Kentucky people Kincaid, who represented the Louisville Times, an afternoon paper, telegraphed it to that paper, as well as to The New York Morning Journal, one of the papers wiring him for the story. The two affidavits filed in the criminal court relating to the summoning of witnesses indicate that the plea of self-defense will be made, as it is stated that the witnesses are to prove that Taulbee had made threats against Kincaid. Twenty-five witnesses for the government and about the same number for the defense will probably cause the trial to be prolonged for a week at least.

SCARE AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

A Man Jumps Through the Windows of the Red Room.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Harry Martin, a step-son of Senator Vance, of North Carolina, jumped through the blinds and windows of the Red room in the executive mansion Saturday night in one leap and landed prone upon the floor. The crash of breaking glass attracted the attention of Officers DuBois and Manley on duty, who at once rushed into the room. There, sprawling upon the floor, lay a large, well-formed man, dressed only in pants,

undershirt and shoes. He had been slightly stunned by his fall, but upon the approach of the officers he immediately began an attack upon them. After a severe struggle, in which Martin was almost divested of his clothes he had on, he was overpowered, and ropes being brought, he was bound hand and foot and sent to the first precinct police station in the police ambulance. The struggle in overcoming Martin created the greatest uproar, and the president rushed down the stairs from the second story, where he was sitting with his family, and witnessed the struggle. Martin was locked up.

Ex-Congressman Stanton Dead.

LOUISVILLE, March 23.—Richard H. Stanton, father of Henry T. Stanton, of Frankfort, editor and poet, died at Maysville, Ky., aged 78. He three times represented his district in congress.

DEATH OF GEN. JOHNSTON.

After Three Weeks' Illness the Confederate General Passes Away.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—General Joseph E. Johnston died shortly after 11 o'clock Saturday night at his residence on Connecticut avenue. The general had been suffering for the past three weeks with an affection of the heart, aggravated by a cold he caught soon after Gen. Sherman's funeral in New York. Gen. Johnston was the last, save Gen. Beauregard, of the six full generals of the confederacy. He was born at Cherry Grove, Va., in 1807, and was graduated from West Point in 1829, in the same class with Robert E. Lee. He served through the Mexican and civil wars.

The arrangements for Gen. Joseph E. Johnston's funeral are about completed. The funeral will take place from St. John's Episcopal church Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, after which his remains will be taken to Baltimore and be interred alongside his wife's in the cemetery there. There will be no display, military or otherwise, either here or in Baltimore.

SENSATIONAL DISCLOSURES

Will be Made in the Memoirs of the Late Prince Napoleon.

LONDON, March 23.—The late Prince Napoleon had the assistance of the historian Masson when he commenced to write his memoirs. A considerable portion of them are already in the hands of the latter, and the remainder will be turned over to him immediately. It has been said as coming from an authoritative source, which is no less than one of the family, that Napoleon has made in these memoirs some very sensational disclosures, and that back of every statement of importance he has produced unquestionable documentary evidence that will verify it.

A Proposition to Columbus People.

COLUMBUS, IND., March 21.—A proposition has been made by Louisville parties to build a north and south railway through Ripley county, provided the people will vote a 2 per cent. subsidy tax and will give right of way and depot grounds. Madison will be the terminus.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Henry Harrison, M. P., one of the Parnell envoys who was taken to the New York hospital suffering from a severe cold, is in much the same condition. His sickness may develop into pneumonia.

The Cleveland league team have arrived at Jacksonville, Fla., and will go into practice at once. They are to remain four weeks. The Pittsburgh team is expected next Tuesday, and the Brooklyn about April 1.

The New York senate committee resumed its investigation into the affairs of the sugar trust. The examination of William Dick, of Dick & Meyer, was continued, but little further information was elicited from him.

At New York, Judge Barrett, of the supreme court, dismissed the complaint of the Apollinaris company, limited, of London, against Venable & Heyman, and dissolved an injunction which restrained the defendants from using the trademark of the plaintiff.

A London dispatch says: The summons issued against Lord Londale to appear in court and answer to a charge of furious driving on the occasion of his recent "walk-over" in a driving match which was to have been contested by Lord Shrewsbury, has been dismissed.

The New Jersey legislature, which came to an end yesterday, failed to make any provision for legitimate racing in New Jersey. As a result of this failure, Monmouth Park, the leading racing association in America, the oldest of all tracks now in operation in the east, has decided to close its gates.

The report that the Hamiltons had effected a compromise with the alleged widow of the late Robert Ray Hamilton, by offering her \$60,000 for a complete settlement, is emphatically denied by the attorney for the Hamilton estate. He said no offers of any kind had been made to Eva.

A very disastrous crevasse has occurred in East Carroll parish, eight miles below Lake Providence, in Louisiana, on the west bank of the river. It is fifty feet wide, and as the levee is sandy, it will wash away rapidly. The water will overflow cotton lands in East Carroll, Madison, Tensas and Concordia.

At Tacoma, Wash., W. L. Bartlett and G. W. Fresno, city editor and managing editor respectively, of The Monmouth (Ill.) Atlas, and two daughters of Mr. Kines, of Huron, S. D., started in a boat Thursday noon for Washon Island, Puget Sound, and it is feared that they have been drowned, as nothing has been heard from them since.

In the case of Gen. Peter J. Claasen, president of the Sixth National bank, New York, who was convicted of embezzling the funds of the institution and sentenced to six years' imprisonment, his counsel filed an appeal in error in the United States circuit court, the subject of which is to carry the case to the United States supreme court. The appeal has not yet been granted, but probably will in a day or two.

FATAL SHOOTING.

TERRIBLE RESULT OF AN ARREST IN A PENNSYLVANIA MINING TOWN.

A Pittsburg Officer Killed and His Companion Seriously Shot—The Thief's Wife Hands Him a Revolver When Arrested, and Both Do Awful Work—A Close Call for Murphy.

McKEESPORT, Pa., March 23.—A terrible shooting affair occurred at Bull Run, a mining village in Mifflin township, about three miles from here, Saturday. Detective D. H. Gilkinson, one of Pittsburg's bravest detectives, is dead, while Detective Patrick Murphy, another prominent man in the county, is seriously, but it is thought, not mortally wounded. Gilkinson and Murphy have been in this city for the past week, and went to Bull Run to arrest a man named Fitzsimmons, also A. G. Budd, but his true name is said to be T. G. Andrews, on the charge of robbing Rupert's jewelry store at Homestead about three months ago, in which several thousand dollars' worth of goods were taken, and the robbery of Skelley's drygoods house in this city about two months ago, when nearly \$1,000 worth of silk dress goods were taken. The detectives entered Fitzsimmons' house and informed him he was a prisoner.

A Perfect Fusillade.

No sooner had the officers uttered the words than his wife from the folds of her dress handed her husband a revolver, which he brought into play quickly. Almost at the first shot Detective Gilkinson fell dead with a bullet in his brain. There was a regular fusillade of bullets between Murphy and Fitzsimmons, and it is thought the woman also used a gun, as both had emptied their revolvers. When the firing ceased Fitzsimmons was lying on the floor bleeding, but in the excitement jumped up and made his escape in the darkness. Murphy was bleeding profusely from the wounds, one ball having made an incision on the left shoulder, another entering the breast, but it struck the breastbone and glided upward, the third tearing away a portion of his chin.

A Close Call for Murphy.

A crowd had been attracted by this time, and Mrs. Fitzsimmons was taken in charge by Murphy, who deputized one of the men attracted by the shots, and she was brought to this city and locked up. Several officers are looking for the fugitive. Detective Gilkinson's body was brought to this city in a spring wagon and taken to an undertaking establishment. Four bullets penetrated his body, three in the head and one in the arm, the fatal ball penetrating the left temple. Murphy's wounds are more serious than at first supposed. Dr. Black removed the bullets from his body, and he was taken to his home at Connersville. It is believed he will recover.

Fitzsimmons and his wife are comparatively unknown at Bull Run. They only came there about four months ago, and are supposed to be a pair of New York crooks who came to this vicinity to ply their vocation. Mrs. Fitzsimmons was seen at the station house, but refused to make any statement. Her wound is a flesh wound, the ball entering her arm without hitting the bone. It is not known who fired the shot which hit her, although Murphy says he thinks it was her husband.

THE BOILER EXPLODES.

The Water Was Low—A Visitor in the Building Seriously Injured.

MUNCIE, IND., March 23.—The boiler at Benjamin Biniger's sawmill at Albany, this county, exploded, completely wrecking the mill and badly injuring one man. The engineer had allowed the water to get low and was trying to raise enough steam to run the water pumps when the explosion occurred. Eli Smith, a hotel man, was in the mill and received a broken arm, dislocated shoulder and was badly hurt internally.

Jim Hall to Meet Fitzsimmons.

BALTIMORE, March 23.—William Muldoon, who arrived from San Francisco with Jake Kilrain, publishes a challenge to Fitzsimmons, the present champion middle-weight of the world, to meet Jim Hall, the Australian middle-weight. Muldoon says he is authorized by Joe Thompson and Joe Harris, the Australian book makers, to back Hall for \$5,000 to \$25,000. Fitzsimmons is now in this city and said that he would probably accept. A purse of \$15,000 for the fight has been offered by the San Antonio (Tex.) club.

After Twenty Years.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 23.—Twenty years ago Bernard Devine left his wife and child in Hyde Park. Four years later a man was found dead in Carbondale. He was identified as the missing husband. Later Mrs. Devine married. Her second husband lived years and died. Last week Devine, the first husband, wrote from Washington to Bishop O'Hara, inquiring if his wife was still alive. The bishop investigated and replied that she was. Devine then came on and a happy reunion resulted.

Riotous Braddock Strikers.

RANKIN, Pa., March 23.—This place was the scene of another brawl between non-union workmen and some of the strikers from the Braddock wire mill Saturday. A crowd of about twenty men on their way home from work were

attacked by strikers. Some of them ran for their lives, while those who stayed are the worse for sore heads and badly bruised bodies. They used anything within their reach for weapons.

WITH A CROWBAR.

Mr. Bulkeley, of Connecticut, Breaks Into the Governor's Office.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 23.—When Governor Bulkeley reached the capitol on Saturday he found the ante room connecting the executive room with the house retiring rooms locked on the inside. This is the room that has been occupied by the special deputy sheriffs employed by the governor to hold his room and the state seals against any attempt by the Democrats to secure possession of them. He gave up possession of the room to Comptroller Staub last Thursday, but insisted that he should have the right to pass through it to gain access to the house. On finding the door locked he had Executive Clerk Rood get a crowbar, and the lock was soon knocked off and the door opened. Comptroller Staub was not in town. The door leading from the retiring rooms to the house was also locked, but this was not broken open.

SQUEEZED IN CHURCH.

The Floor Gives Away, Letting Down an Enormous Weight of Humanity.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, March 23.—A crash, almost a panic and narrow escape from fatalities, happened yesterday in St. Paul's Episcopal church. Rector Lane was to preach to newspaper men and the house was packed by the fraternity and composers. The railroad element also was largely represented. Some 800 people had assembled and the first stanza of the Processional hymn had been sung, when there was a succession of cracks and snaps underneath, then a crash and down went the floor with the enormous weight of living humanity. Fortunately the floor could sink but two feet, and the newspaper men maintained such presence of mind that beyond a few women being badly squeezed there was no one seriously hurt.

CHOPS HIS WIFE'S HEAD OFF

With an Ax Because She Was Slow to Pick Up a Pair of Scissors.

WHEELING, W. Va., March 23.—News of one of the most atrocious murders ever committed in this vicinity has just reached here. Thursday afternoon Peter Richmond ordered his wife to pick up a pair of scissors which were on the floor, and because she did not immediately obey, he seized an ax and struck his wife on the head, felling her to the floor. He then struck her several blows with the edge of the weapon, leaving her head hanging by but a shred. He then attacked his mother, who ran from the house screaming for help. Richmond was overpowered by the neighbors and bound to the floor. He is supposed to be insane.

REMOVER KILLS A CONDUCTOR

Whose Train Was Wrecked, Dealing Death to Many Passengers.

BUFFALO, March 23.—John W. Houghtaling, aged 66, the conductor of the train which was wrecked on the Lake Shore road at East Hamburg, last April, in which several lives were lost and who was indicted for manslaughter in connection therewith, but was acquitted, died at his home in this city Saturday. The terrible affair, and his subsequent indictment, preyed on him to such an extent that his friends say he died of a broken heart.

Knocked Down With a Stone.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 23.—The city is all torn up over a new departure in the whisky cases. George N. Chapman, a detective in the employ of the state enforcement league who was arrested for carrying concealed weapons, was bailed out, and while on his way to a prohibition banquet was knocked down with a stone within a few steps from the Commercial house, where the banquet was held. Mayor Pock has offered a reward of \$50 for the apprehension of the culprit. The prohibitionists are wild with indignation.

Several Rows at Sligo.

LONDON, March 23.—Things were hot at Sligo yesterday. When the priests were not in church they were busy attending to their political duties and for several of the rows that occurred the Parnellites claim that the ecclesiastics were responsible. The McCarthyites claim that the community is wholly devoted to the priesthood, which is true in part, and that Parnell stands no chance against the hostility of the church.

Coal \$55 a Ton in Chili.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Recent newspaper advices from Valparaiso report that nearly all of the traffic upon the railways of Chili has been suspended because of a coal famine in that country. The price of coal on January 17 was \$55 a ton and the supply was almost exhausted. Unless the blockade of the coal ports is soon raised railway traffic and all industries requiring fuel will have to be entirely suspended.

Ex-Speaker Reed Will Go to Europe.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed sailed for Europe on Saturday, and expects to be gone several months. He will pay particular attention to the legislative bodies of European states, and will give the public the benefit of his studies in the form of magazine articles.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

The Canton Republicans nominated John N. Ramsey for mayor and Thomas F. Turner for solicitor. The contest for the Democratic nominations was spirited.

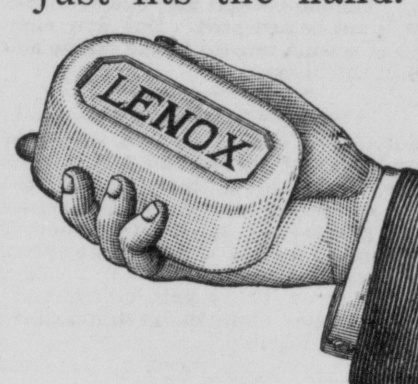
At Lima John Carr was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by Judge J. E. Richie for perjury. Carr secured a divorce from his wife and married another woman. A short time after Judge Richie found out that Carr had perjured himself to get the divorce, and, consequently, caused his arrest and trial with the above result.

An illicit distillery near Port Jennings, Putnam county, has been captured by the police. The still was in full blast, and a great quantity of liquor was seized. Anton Rollinger, who was running the distillery, was arrested and confessed that he had been operating it four or five years. Several prominent people are said to be implicated, and sensational disclosures are promised. Rollinger has been taken to Toledo by the United States marshal for preliminary trial.

Supt. Maxwell Declines the Offer.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 23.—Superintendent of Public Instruction William H. Maxwell has declined the offer of \$5,000 per year to take charge of the public schools of Philadelphia, giving as a reason that he prefers to remain in the city of Brooklyn at the same figure.

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HOUSE—A nine roomed house on East North street opposite the High School building. Large lot with fruit and shade trees. Apply to J. W. McMillan. 26-4

HOUSE—A seven room house on North Prospect street. Call on Jos. Coleman, Jewellery store, No. 5 South Erie street. 8-61

HOUSE—At 98 East Cherry street, 6 rooms and basement. Apply to Henry Snyder at Snyder's shoe store. 10

HOUSE—Containing 7 rooms, rent \$9, or can be divided for two families at \$5 each. Good water on premises. Call at premises, No. 477 South Erie street. 14-11

HOUSE—At 69 Green street, 5 rooms, coal house, cistern all complete. Apply at 57 Duncan street. 14

HOUSE—Possession April 1st. No. 118 East Main street. Call at premises or 55 E. Main street. 18-11

ROOM—Two upper rooms on the second floor of the Beatty block over No. 2 East Main St. Enquire of H. Beatty, or W. H. McMillan. 23-11

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MAN—A man understanding the grocery business to correspond concerning a good business opportunity. An established business that a grocer could run as a branch. Address Wm. L. Reineck, Sippo P. O., Ohio. 12-61

MAN—April 1st to furnish 60 farmers, with 1st veterinary remedies and book. A middle aged man competent to deliver and collect, that can furnish horse and buggy, can secure the contract. Call on Geo. H. Gove, V. S. 64 Fulton street, Massillon, Ohio. 14-61

BUSINESS MAN—The United States Life Ins. Co., of New York, organized in 1850, desires to secure the services of a first-class business man to look after their interests at Massillon. Previous experience not necessary. Must be honest, industrious, well acquainted and have good standing. Address W. Christy, Manager, 106 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, O. 12-61

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For sale or Rent.

HOUSE—A new house of 5 rooms, elegantly finished interior. Well located on Richville Avenue. Inquire at 172 Richville Ave. 24-11

FOR SALE.

CARPET Beater and Father Renovator. Call or address, Jacob Waggoner, 124 East Oak St. 18-61

HOUSE—Fine new house for sale, located on West side at a bargain. Call on Jonas Lutz. 20-61

HOUSE—A seven room house, No. 19 Wellman street, only five minutes walk from center of town. Any one wishing to purchase, please call at premises. 29-11

HOUSE—A seven roomed house and bath room also a good stable and other very easy on buildings, cistern, and fruit trees; situated at the corner of Duncan and Green streets. Lot 60x185 feet. Inquire on the premises. 18-61

HOUSE—A 6 x 8 room house, No. 24 N. Clay street, in good repair, also good out building. Anyone wishing to purchase should call at premises. For sale cheap. 24-11

HOUSE AND LOT—Corner Hill and Chestnut street; seven rooms and summer kitchen. Lot 60x115; excellent well of water, cistern and city water. Inquire on the premises. No. 93 N. Hill street. 12-61

HOUSE—At moderate price, on easy terms. A nine roomed house on East North street, opposite the High School building. Large lot with fruit and shade trees. Apply to J. W. McMillan. 23-11

